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SENATOR DUIS: Senator Cope, I guess I'm just trying to bring out a point more than anything.

SENATOR COPE: Yes.

SENATOR DUIS: I had a bill up here that doesn't require any funding at all, because it's already funded in the budget bill, but I get an A bill, and I keep wondering why these others aren't A bills.

SENATOR COPE: Well there isn't an A bill to this.

SENATOR DUIS: Well there shouldn't have...I don't think there should have been with mine either, but I keep wondering why it happened.

SENATOR COPE: Well that was in the original bill that Senator Fowler presented. It was...there was an A bill, but we amended that out.

SENATOR DUIS: Well they told me I needed one whether or not, see, and so I'm just...I think I'm trying to solve a problem I've got with the fiscal staff.

SENATOR COPE: I see.

SENATOR DUIS: Thank you.

SENATOR COPE: Yes. Thank you.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Murphy, do you want to close on your amendment, and then we need to go for one more item to honor a request of the Budget Committee for an additional bill. Senator Murphy.

SENATOR MURPHY: I believe Senator Fowler is trying to figure out some devious way to get around this state funding, and has amendment to this amendment and I will give him one chance.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Okay, the Clerk will read the amendment.

CLERK: (Read Fowler amendment as found on Page 1248 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR FOWLER: It's a hastily drawn amendment, and certainly not devious. If anyone's devious it's Senator Murphy hitting this bill on a Select File on a sleepy Monday afternoon. The objections that I have as sponsor